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Interview Summary	Application No. 09/930,442	Applicant(s) USHIWATA ET AL.	
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c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 24.

Identification of prior art discussed: n/a.

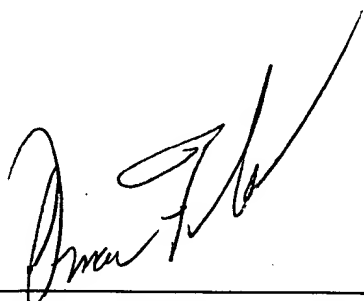
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant calls on 10/06/06 requesting a supplementary action considering claim 24 previously missing in the Notice of Allowability. On 10/18/06, the Examiner calls applicant to inform that claim 24 was incorporated as an allow claim in a Supplementary Action.

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